A Correction.

Mr. EDITOR: There is one statement in "Veritas" letter of Tuesday which requires a slight correcmen. Dr. Hyde did not hold services every Sunday at Kakaako. He had services to hold elsewhere. But he held them frequently there for a long time. Of late his activity has been confined to visiting X.

Mr. Bartholomew's Open Letter.

MR EDITOR: In an open letter from Mr. J. S. Bartholomew, to the Minister of Finance, published in your issue of this morning, relating to the Hawaiian Pacific Cable Co. certain statements are made which should be corrected. He states that -a local firm of merchants, on or about September 15, 1889, voluntarily became the agents for the Cable Co. at Honolulu" * * * and that "at a subsequent date, as stated to myself by an official of the Interior department, a prominent member of this firm of the Cable Co.'s agents, appeared at the Government building armed with a power of attorney from the New Stmr. KILAUEA HOU York contractors of the rejected a able, and claimed the first instalment of \$8,000, which demand was of course preperly denied." * * * should accept a power of attorney to press a claim against the company remains to be ascertained." The local Honolula firm referred to is doubtless E. O. Hall & Son, as for some months past they have furnished materials and made certain advances to the Cable Co., but the statement that they have attempted to collect money from the Government is NOT TRUE. E. O. Hall & Son, and no one on their behalf, have made any such attempt, nor have they had any power of attorney from any New York constructors relating to the matter. So far as I have been able to ascertain the facts, it appears that some time last year Mr. Bartholomew for Barthoyear Mr. Bartholomew for Bartholomew & Baker, assigned to a New FRANK GERTZ York firm, the first instalment of \$8,000-and that firm sent the same to an agent in Honolulu, and in August of last year he made inquiries at the Government building in regard to the matter, which was exactly what he should have done. E. O. Hall & Son were not parties to this and were in no way respon-

There are other points in the letser referred to which might be touched upon, but I have not the time to enter into a discussion of Yours truly

sible for it.

WM. W. HALL Pres. E. O. Hall & Son, L'd. May, 27, 1890.

Statement of Facts.

Mr. EDITOR: Will you kindly grant me a space in your paper for a statement of facts.

On the 23d August, 1889, I received from the Bishop Gutta Percha Co. of New York, an assignment of contract made between the Minister of the Interior and J. Sherman Bartholomew, and authorisation to collect the first payment Shot Gans, Rifles, Rveolvers, of \$8,000 on the contract for the construction of "Inter-island Sub-marine Electric Telegraph Cables." which is signed by J. Sherman Bartholomew, and Bartholomew & Baker by J. Sherman Bartholomew, to the Bishop Gutta Percha Co. with their power of attorney to collect this amount for their ac-

Under same date, I addressed the Minister of the Interior, informing him of my having received this power and assignment, and requesting him to notify me, when under the terms of the contract he would be prepared to pay this money.

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I ask this in order that certain statements in the open letter of Mr. Bartholomew to the Minister of Finance may be explained and cor-W. F. ALLEN. rected.

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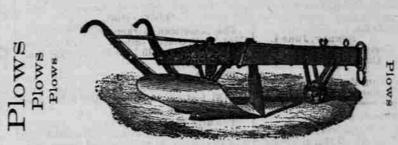
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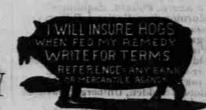
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